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## AMENDMENT TO H.R. 3893 OFFERED BY WY. POGETS BUTTON

Strike section 303 of the bill on page 45 and insert the following (and conform the table of contents of the bill accordingly):

## 1 SEC. 303. INTERNET UTILIZATION STUDY.

- 2 (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary, under the program
- 3 established in Section 301, shall evaluate the capacity of
- 4 the Internet to facilitate carpool and vanpool operations
- 5 through —
- 6 (1) linking riders with local carpools and van-
- 7 pools;
- 8 (2) providing real time messaging communica-
- 9 tion between drivers and riders;
- 10 (3) assisting employers to establish inter com-
- 11 pany vanpool and carpool programs; and
- 12 (4) marketing existing vanpool and carpool pro-
- grams.
- 14 (b) Report.—Not later than 180 days after the date
- 15 of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall submit to
- 16 Congress a report including recommendations and find-
- 17 ings that would improve Internet utilization in carpool and



- 1 vanpool operations and shall make such report available
- 2 to all State and local metropolitan planning organizations.

